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Town Officers

OFFICERS BIENNIALY ELECTED

Representative to General Court

ROBERT S. PRESCOTT

Moderator

BERNARD I. CHURCHILL

Supervisors of Check List

Thomas F. Bluitte

Raymond Estabrook

Otis R. Rowell

OFFICERS ANNUALLY ELECTED

Town Clerk

William K. Davis

Selectmen

Earle B. Nichols

Term expires March 1943

Charles R. Stevens

Term expires March 1944

James A. Marden

Term expires March 1945

Treasurer

Wilbur R. Sargent

Tax Collector

Cecil A. Kimball

Auditors

Kenneth F. Briggs

Kent Walker

Road Commissioner

George L. Cheney

Cemetery Trustees

Albert W. Flanders	Term expires March 1943
Winfred A. Snow	Term expires March 1944
William K. Davis	Term expires March 1945

Trustees of Gale Library

Alma B. Mayhew	Term expires March 1943
E. Belle Boyd	Term expires March 1944
Pearl R. Davis	Term expires March 1945

Trustees of Trust Funds

James A. Marden	Term expires March 1943
Winfred A. Snow	Term expires March 1944
E. Belle Boyd	Term expires March 1945

Constable

Stillman A. Davis

Board of Education

Amanda Goodwin	Term expires March 1943
Kenneth F. Briggs	Term expires March 1944
Lillian R. Webster	Term expires March 1945

Board of Health

Henry L. Burbeck	Earle B. Nichols
Charles R. Stevens	James A. Marden

Chief of Police

Stillman A. Davis

Dog Officer

Raymond Estabrook

Fire Department Chief Engineer

A. Ralph Estabrook

Fire Wards

Charles R. Stevens	Earle B. Nichols
James A. Marden	

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber and Measurers of Bark
James A. Marden

Charles Illsley

Fence Viewer
Thomas E. Currier

Tree Warden
George L. Cheney

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE:

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newton, in the County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the 9th day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To hear reports of the town officers and to pass any vote relating thereto.

4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell the John and Hattie Hunt Property and all other property acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds or through Old Age Assistance.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$202.56 for Class V. assistance in order to receive State Aid of \$810.23.

7. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such an audit.

Given under our hands and seal, this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-three.

EARLE B. NICHOLS,
CHARLES R. STEVENS,
JAMES A. MARDEN,

Selectmen of Newton.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EARLE B. NICHOLS,
CHARLES R. STEVENS,
JAMES A. MARDEN,

Selectmen of Newton.

NEWTON TOWN REPORT

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BUDGET FOR 1943

	Appro. and Credits	Expen- ditures	Unex- pended Bal.	Over- draft	Estimate 1943
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,200.00	\$1,263.49		\$ 63.49	\$1,250.00
General expense	700.00	628.01	\$ 71.99		700.00
Election and registration	250.00	201.25	48.75		75.00
Town Hall expense	\$ 250.00				
Credits	62.00	394.95		82.95	300.00
Libraries	312.00	225.00			225.00
Town poor, direct relief	500.00				
Credits Harris Fund	184.12				
Credit	34.00				
Old Age Assistance	718.12	241.85	476.27		200.00
Police department	2,300.00	2,000.36	299.64		2,000.00
Fire department	100.00	100.00			100.00
Health department	750.00	736.86	13.14		750.00
Vital statistics	50.00	92.97		42.97	75.00
Street lighting	20.00	21.20		1.20	20.00
Memorial day	1,800.00	1,638.98	161.02		1,650.00
Defense program	10.00	11.00		1.00	10.00
Cemeteries	300.00	72.91	227.09		150.00
Interest	50.00	38.80	11.20		50.00
Snow account	250.00	216.66	33.34		225.00
Credits	300.00				700.00
25.00	825.00	675.67	124.33		
		\$8,559.96			\$8,480.00

Selectmen's Report

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Resident

Land and Buildings	\$500,650.00
Horses, 21	1,620.00
Cows, 91	6,080.00
Other Neat Stock, 7	99.00
Fowl, 3780	2,830.00
Boats and Launches, 7	200.00
Wood and Lumber	2,100.00
Hogs, 1	12.00
Mills and Machinery	1,050.00
Gasoline Pumps, 8	870.00
Stock in Trade	8,550.00
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	\$524,061.00

Non Resident

Land and Buildings	\$126,830.00
Horses, 3	375.00
Goat, 1	5.00
Stock in Trade	4,000.00
Mills and Machinery	2,000.00
Wood and Lumber	1,550.00
Portable Mills, 1	750.00
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	\$134,510.00

SOLDIERS' TAXABLE

Land and Buildings	\$ 22,050.00
Horses, 2	225.00
Cows, 5	300.00
Fowl, 160	120.00

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Pumps, 2	170.00
Stock in Trade	800.00
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	\$ 23,665.00

AMOUNT OF TAXES AND RATE

Taxes on Property	\$ 22,854.90
Taxes on 488 Polls @ \$2.00	976.00
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Taxes Committed to Collector	\$ 23,830.90
Rate \$33.50 per M.	

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers Salaries	\$ 1,200.00
General Expense	700.00
Election and Registration	250.00
Town Hall Expense	250.00
Police Department	100.00
Fire Department	750.00
Health Department	50.00
Vital Statistics	20.00
Defense Program	300.00
Street Lighting	1,800.00
Snow Expense	800.00
State Aid Construction	202.31
General Expense Highway Dept.	1,692.00
County Tax	3,097.40
Town Property	50.00
Interest	250.00
Cemeteries	50.00
Memorial Day	10.00
Old Age Assistance	2,300.00
Libraries	225.00
Direct Relief	500.00
Schools	10,569.24
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	\$ 25,165.95
Fire Engine	1,000.00
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Total Appropriations	\$ 26,165.95

Estimated Receipts

Interest and Dividend Tax	\$ 45.21	
Railroad Tax	350.00	
Savings Bank Tax	21.45	
Motor Vehicle Permits	1,000.00	
Sale of Property	1,200.00	
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		2,616.66

\$ 23,549.29

Plus Overlay

281.61

Total to Collector

\$ 23,830.90

ASSETS

Cash in Hands of Treasurer	\$ 4,984.18
Auditing Reserve	214.47
Six Shares Merrimac National Bank Stock	60.00
Rent Due Hunt Prop.	32.00
Uncollected Taxes, 1937	127.50
Uncollected Taxes, 1939	2.00
Uncollected Taxes, 1940	16.00
Uncollected Taxes, 1941	20.00
Uncollected Taxes, 1942	5,705.20
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	\$ 11,161.35

LIABILITIES

The Exeter Banking Co.	\$ 10,000.00
Town of Kingston Look-Out Station	114.02
Due to Schools, Dog Licenses	242.20
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	\$ 10,356.22

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

EARLE B. NICHOLS,
CHARLES R. STEVENS,
JAMES A. MARDEN,
Selectmen.

WILBUR R. SARGENT,
Treasurer.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall Land and Buildings	\$ 13,000.00
Libraries, Land and Buildings	2,000.00
Fire Department Equipment	5,000.00
Highway Dept. Land and Buildings	400.00
Highway Dept. Equipment	1,000.00
Willow Grove Cemetery	500.00
Tomb and Highland Cemetery	200.00
Schools, Land and Buildings	15,000.00
Land at Depot	200.00
Land and Buildings Acquired by Collector's Deeds	
Ida Senter, 2 camps	400.00
Ross Lyons, land and buildings	1,600.00
Wilbur Merrill Prop.	500.00
Edwin P. Tappan and Sarah Burke Shop	1,000.00
Deeds Taken for Welfare Aid	
Hattie S. Hunt, land and buildings	1,200.00

Report of Town Clerk

DOG LICENSES

1941 amount received	\$ 51.00
1942 amount received	208.00
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Total	\$ 259.00
Reserved for Fees	16.80
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	\$ 242.20
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	242.20
Received for filing fees	\$ 10.00
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	10.00
Received for 1941 Auto Permits	\$ 1.50
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	1.50
Received for 1942 Auto Permits	\$ 899.81
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	\$ 899.81
Total amount paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	\$ 1,153.51

WILLIAM K. DAVIS,

Town Clerk.

COPY OF THE RECORDS OF THE TOWN MEETING MARCH 10, 1942

Meeting called to order by Herbert E. Wilbur, Moderator Pro-tem at 9 A. M., who proceeded to read the warrant.

On motion of Thomas F. Bluitte, it was voted that the polls be kept open until 6:30 P. M.

On motion of Earle B. Nichols, it was voted that beginning with article 2, the remaining articles of the warrant be acted on Wednesday evening, March 11, 1942, at 8 P. M.

At 6:30 P. M. the Moderator Pro-tem declared the polls closed and the ballots were counted with the following results.

Total names on Check list, 514.

Total votes cast, 313.

Town Clerk

William K. Davis	209
Edna M. Boyd	97

Selectman For Three Years

James A. Marden	258
Leon G. Ingalls	7

Treasurer

Wilbur R. Sargent	256
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Tax Collector

Cecil A. Kimball	254
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Auditors

Kenneth F. Briggs	241
Kent Walker	234

Road Commissioner

George L. Cheney	160
Charles L. Bly	147

Cemetery Trustee For Three Years

William K. Davis	248
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Trustee Of Gale Library For Three Years

Pearl R. Davis	246
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Trustee Of Trust Funds For Three Years

E. Belle Boyd	3
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Constable

Stillman A. Davis	224
Raymond E. Estabrook	11

There were 14 scattering votes for various town officers.

William K. Davis, James A. Marden, Wilbur R. Sargent, George L. Cheney and Stillman A. Davis were given the oath of office by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

The ballots were sealed at 8:20 P. M., March 10, 1942.

Recorded truly,

WILLIAM K. DAVIS,

Town Clerk.

A true copy, Attest:

WILLIAM K. DAVIS,

Town Clerk.

TOWN HALL, NEWTON

March 11, 1942.

The adjourned town meeting was called to order by Moderator Pro-tem Herbert E. Wilbur at 8 P. M.

John H. Fickett, Pastor of the Baptist Church, offered prayer.

Article 1. On motion of Thomas F. Bluitte it was voted that the rest of the Town officers be appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 2. On motion of Wilbur R. Sargent it was voted that the commission of the Tax Collector be increased to $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ and \$100.00 be added to Town Officers' salaries in the Budget, and to accept the Budget as printed with the exception noted (that is under Election and Registration be changed to \$250.00 instead of \$450.00 as printed in the Town Report).

Article 3. On motion of A. Ralph Estabrook it was voted that the reports of the Town Officers be accepted as printed in the Town Reports.

Article 4. On motion of Thomas W. Locke it was voted to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in Anticipation of taxes.

Article 5. On motion of Wilbur R. Sargent it was voted that we accept Class V Aid to be expended on the Thornell Road, the whole amount to be expended for gravel construction.

Article 6. On motion of George H. Bowen it was voted that this article be passed over.

Article 7. On motion of Hayden E. Cheney it was voted that we raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for War Emergency, to be expended under the supervision of the Selectmen, and the Selectmen to make accounting of the same.

Article 8. On motion of Hayden E. Cehney it was voted to return to Article 5.

On motion of Hayden E. Cheney it was voted that the previous action taken under Article 5 be rescinded.

On motion of Hayden E. Cheney it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$202.31 for Class V Aid in order to receive State Aid of \$809.24 to be expended on the Thornell Road, and this money to be expended under the supervision of a State Engineer, the road to be at least 16 feet wide, with proper drainage, and of suitable gravel to make it of a permanent nature.

On motion of William Foley it was voted that \$600.00 of the Road Commissioner's appropriation be set aside to purchase tarvia for use on the town roads.

On motion of John H. Fickett it was voted that all future Town meetings be opened by prayer of invocation.

NEWTON TOWN REPORT

Meeting adjourned without date at 8:55 P. M.

Recorded truly,

WILLIAM K. DAVIS,

Town Clerk.

A true copy, Attest:

WILLIAM K. DAVIS,

Town Clerk.

March 11, 1942.

Kenneth F. Briggs, Kent Walker and Cecil A. Kimball were given the oath of office by William K. Davis, Justice of the Peace.

Collector's Report 1935

— DR. —

Uncollected poll taxes as of February 1, 1942	\$	4.00
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— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during		
fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	\$	2.00
Abatement made during year		2.00

Total Credits		\$	4.00
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ABATEMENT

Wiggin, Leavitt, Left town	\$	2.00
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CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1935

Collector's Report 1936

— DR. —

Uncollected poll taxes as of February 1, 1942	\$	10.00
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— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during		
fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	\$	6.00
Abatements made during year		4.00

TOTAL CREDITS		\$	10.00
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ABATEMENTS

Wiggin, Leavitt, Left town	\$ 2.00
Pelley, Arthur, Left town	2.00
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	\$ 4.00

CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1936.

Collector's Report 1937

— DR. —

Uncollected taxes as of February 1,	
1942	\$ 127.50
Poll taxes	12.00
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 139.50
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— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during	
fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	\$ 6.00
Abatements made during year	6.00
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's	
list	127.50
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 139.50
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ABATEMENTS

Kelly, Carroll, In Service	\$ 2.00
Johnson, Ellen, Left town	2.00
Johnson, Edgar, Left town	2.00
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	\$ 6.00

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

O'Connor, Maurice	\$ 127.50
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CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1937.

Collector's Report 1938

— DR. —

Uncollected poll taxes as of February 1, 1942 \$ 18.00

— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during
fiscal year ended January 31, 1943 \$ 10.00
Abatements made during year 8.00

TOTAL CREDITS \$ 18.00

ABATEMENTS

Johnson, Ellen, Left town	\$ 2.00
Johnson, Edgar, Left town	2.00
Kelly, Carroll, In service	2.00
Pelley, Arthur, Left town	2.00
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	\$ 8.00

CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1938.

Collector's Report 1939

— DR. —

Uncollected poll taxes as of February 1, 1942 \$ 40.00

— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during
fiscal year ended January 31, 1943 \$ 22.00
Abatements made during year 16.00
Uncollected poll 2.00

TOTAL CREDITS \$ 40.00

ABATEMENTS

Johnson, Ellen, Left town	\$ 2.00
Johnson, Edgar, Left town	2.00
Johnson, Nellie	2.00
Kelly, Carroll, In service	2.00
Kelly, Alfred, Moved	2.00
Kelly, George, Aid	2.00
Thornell, Lester, Resident of Canada	2.00
Wiggin, Leavitt, Left town	2.00
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	\$ 16.00

UNCOLLECTED POLLS

Pottie, Helen G.	\$ 2.00
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CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1939.

Collector's Report 1940

— DR. —

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1942	\$ 275.98
Polls	72.00
Interest collected during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	6.88
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 354.86
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— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	\$ 90.28
Abatements made during year	247.69
Uncollected polls	16.00
Uncollected property (to be deeded)	.89
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 354.86
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ABATEMENTS

Bachard, Emeille, Left town	\$	2.00
Bowley, Hattie, Left town		2.00
Furber, Christina, Left town		2.00
Furber, Raymond, Left town		2.00
Johnson, Ellen, Left town		2.00
Johnson, Edgar, Left town		2.00
Kelly, Carroll, In service		2.00
Kelly, Alfred, Moved		2.00
Kelly, George, Aid		2.00
Pelley, Arthur, Left town		2.00
Rine, Victor, Pays in Boston		2.00
Thornell, Lester, Resident of Canada		2.00
Wiggin, Leavitt, Left town		2.00
Murray, Raymond, Left town		2.00
Bly, Charles L., Deeded		17.80
Boswell, J. C., Heirs, Deeded		1.78
Bartlett, Morrill, Heirs, Deeded		96.12
Gale, Hiram, Heirs, Deeded		.35
Merrill, Wilbur, Deeded		17.80
Roiley, George, Deeded		12.68
Brown, Joseph, Heirs, Deeded		3.56
Bowe, Mary T., Heirs, Deeded		2.85
Peaslee, Fred, Deeded		1.78
Tappan, Edwin, and Burke, Sarah, Deeded		64.08
Zablemen, Deeded		.89
	\$	247.69

UNCOLLECTED POLLS, 1940

Gagne, Lorenzo	\$	2.00
Johnson, Mary L.		2.00
Jameson, Clarence		2.00
Kimball, Horace H.		2.00
Pottie, Helen G.		2.00
Walker, Ethel		2.00
Walker, Harry		2.00

Smith, Earl	2.00
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\$	16.00
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CECIL A. KIMBALL,
Tax Collector, 1940.

Collector's Report 1941

— DR. —

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1942	\$7,385.76
Uncollected Polls	130.00
Added Polls	16.00
Interest collected during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	402.17

TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 7,933.93
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— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	\$7,758.35
Abatements made during year	155.58
Uncollected Polls	20.00

TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 7,933.93
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ADDED POLLS

Bliss, Bessie	\$ 2.00
Crummett, Wm., Jr.	2.00
Crook, Charles H.	2.00
Headley, Esther	2.00
Johnson, Harold	2.00
Riskin, Sumner	2.00
Shunk, Helen	2.00
Fleming, Edward	2.00

\$	16.00
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UNCOLLECTED POLLS

Currier, Bertha	\$ 2.00
Chase, Jane	2.00
Gagne, Lorenzo	2.00
Gouyer, Henry	2.00
Johnson, Mary L.	2.00
Kimball, Horace H.	2.00
Pottie, Helen G.	2.00
Walker, Ethel	2.00
Walker, Harry	2.00
Rine, Edna	2.00
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	\$ 20.00

ABATEMENTS

Beaupre, Edith L., Moved	\$ 2.00
Brewer, Doris, Pays elsewhere	2.00
Brewer, Francis, Pays elsewhere	2.00
Clapp, Earl, In service	2.00
Hunt, Margaret, Left town	2.00
Kelly, Carroll, In service	2.00
Kelly, Alfred, Moved	2.00
Kelly, George, Aid	2.00
Kershaw, Walter, Jr., In service	2.00
Noble, Charles E., Left town	2.00
Noble, Gertrude, Left town	2.00
Osborne, Robert V., Lives elsewhere	2.00
Piwowarski, Susie, Left town	2.00
Pelley, Hector, Left town	2.00
Pelley, Arthur, Left town	2.00
Perkins, LaForrest, In service	2.00
Purdon, Robert, Left town	2.00
Purdon, Mrs. Robert, Left town	2.00
Rine, Victor, Pays in Boston	2.00
Ferullo, Leonard, Moved	2.00
Ferullo, Lena, Moved	2.00
Gagne, Joseph, Moved	2.00
Gagne, Josephine, Moved	2.00

Rowe, George S., Over 70	2.00
Thornell, Charles E., Over 70	2.00
Walker, Harold, Pays in Boston	2.00
Brandt, Dorothea, Deeded	17.15
Merrimac P. & L. Co.	85.75
Sargent, Ralph	.68

\$ 155.58

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

Tax Collector, 1941.

Collector's Report 1942

— DR. —

Taxes committed to Collector:

Property taxes and Poll	\$ 23,830.90
Added Polls	30.00
Interest Collected	9.71

TOTAL DEBITS \$ 23,870.61

— CR. —

Total remittances to Treasurer	\$ 17,629.18
Discount allowed	424.41
Abatements	111.82
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list	5,629.20
Uncollected polls	76.00

TOTAL CREDITS \$ 23,870.61

ADDED POLLS, 1942

Austin, J. Frank	\$ 2.00
Adams, Herbert L.	2.00
Busch, Marie O.	2.00
Bean, Ozra	2.00

Burnham, Moreau	2.00
Burnham, Nellie	2.00
Caston, Mrs. Ida S.	2.00
Crummett, Wm. J.	2.00
Cook, Charles H.	2.00
Fegan, Mrs. Emily	2.00
Maze, Marion	2.00
Ray, Joseph	2.00
Swasey, Gertrude	2.00
Bliss, Bessie	2.00
Boyd, Margaret	2.00
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	\$ 30.00

UNCOLLECTED 1942 POLL TAXES

Boyd, Jerome	\$ 2.00
Bowley, Eurania	2.00
Bly, Jessie	2.00
Boyd, Dorothy C.	2.00
Currier, Bertha	2.00
Currier, Lilla	2.00
Courser, Eva	2.00
Chase, Jane	2.00
Cook, Charles H.	2.00
Denno, Gardner	2.00
Denno, Helen	2.00
Gamon, Scott	2.00
Gamon, Mrs. Scott	2.00
Howard, Josephine	2.00
Howard, Grace	2.00
Ingalls, Lizzie	2.00
Ingalls, Nancy	2.00
Johnson, Nellie	2.00
Kelly, Ella	2.00
Kelly, Clarence	2.00
Kelly, Everett L.	2.00
Locke, Augustus	2.00
Page, Rose A.	2.00

Pepler, Carrie	2.00
Pepler, Alfred	2.00
Packer, Corinne	2.00
Parker, Katherine	2.00
Parker, Scott S.	2.00
Lewis, Anna Smith	2.00
Senter, Ida	2.00
Taylot, Geneve	2.00
Westover, Herbert	2.00
Whittier, Ross	2.00
Whittier, Marilyn	2.00
Walker, Ethel	2.00
Walker, Harry	2.00
Jarvis, Virginia	2.00
Filz, Lillian	2.00
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	\$ 76.00

ABATEMENTS

Bradley, Frank, Gets Aid	\$ 2.00
Busch, Carl E., In service	2.00
Chase, David, In service	2.00
Clapp, Earle, In service	2.00
Elmstrom, Mrs. Carl, Does not claim residence here	2.00
Foy, Christine, Not 21 until after April	2.00
Furber, Christine, Left town	2.00
Furber, Mildred, Left town	2.00
Furber, Raymond, Left town	2.00
Furber, Gladys, Left town	2.00
Furber, Roy, Left town	2.00
Fowler, John, In service	2.00
George, Bessie, Invalid	2.00
Green, Elden, In service	2.00
Green, Herman, Pays in Conn.	2.00
Ingalls, Lloyd, In service	2.00
Kelly, Carroll, In service	2.00

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Kelly, Alfred, Moved	2.00
Kelly, George, Old Age	2.00
Knowles, Royal J., In service	2.00
Kershaw, Walter, Jr., In service	2.00
Kezik, Alec, Left town	2.00
Merrifield, Raymond, In service	2.00
Mills, Clinton, In service	2.00
Piwowarski, Susie, Left town	2.00
Perkins, LaForrest, In service	2.00
Rine, Victor, Pays in Boston	2.00
Seel, Harvey, In service	2.00
Whiting, Gordon, Veteran	2.00
Whiting, Isabelle, Pays in Newfields	2.00
Wormwood, Irene, Pays in Maine	2.00
Wormwood, Gordon, Pays in Maine	2.00
Heywood, Sadie, Does not claim residence here	2.00
Moon, Sadie, Over 70	2.00
Storey, Harold, Veteran	2.00
Lynch, George, Left town	2.00
Lynch, Willow, Left town	2.00
Beaupre, Edith, Left town	2.00
Beaupre, Arthur, Left town	2.00
Thompson, Ralph, Veteran	2.00
Bibby, Clara	6.70
Hoyt, Mabel Newcomb	16.75
Callahan, Beatrice	3.35
Rocco, Angelo	5.02

\$ 111.82

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

Tax Collector, 1942.

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS AS OF JANUARY 31, 1943

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	Tax Sale on account of Levy of:				
	1941	1940	1939	1938	1937
Taxes Sold to Town	\$519.61	\$532.80	\$443.99	\$83.80	\$71.18
12% Int. collected after sale	3.11	22.68	16.30	4.26	24.88
Redemption costs	3.05	.50	4.00	1.00	1.00
Total Debits	\$525.77	\$555.98	\$464.29	\$89.06	\$97.06

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Remittances to Treas- urer during year	\$316.80	\$355.03	\$125.16	\$15.53	\$83.69
Abatements	7.04		6.82		
Deeded to Town		45.94	16.24	59.23	9.23
Unredeemed at close of year	201.93	155.01	316.07	14.30	4.14
Total Credits	\$525.77	\$555.98	\$464.29	\$89.06	\$97.06

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

	On Account Of Levies Of:				
	1941	1940	1939	1938	1937
Morrill, F. B.			\$ 4.22	\$ 4.08	\$ 4.14
Dart, Charles, Heirs		\$10.07		10.22	
Dart, Elvira, Heirs		34.10	30.97		
Gervais, Mary	\$ 27.58	28.34	26.22		
Harvey, John, Heirs	47.51	49.47	44.77		
Treadwell, Evalina			86.17		
Ramsdell, Lester			90.93		
Wheaton, Josephine			19.07		
MacDonald, William		1.80			
Packard, Fred, Heirs	18.08	14.87	13.72		
Roberts, Frank, Heirs		9.15			
Boucher, Henry		7.21			
Bly, Charles and Kath- erine	21.76				
Bartlett, Morrill, Heirs ..	10.73				
O'Neil, Edward, Heirs	71.44				
Peaslee, Edmund	4.83				
	\$201.93	\$155.01	\$316.07	\$14.30	\$ 4.14

Treasurer's Report

Receipts:

Wilbur R. Sargent, 1941 Treasurer	\$ 6,485.94
Cecil A. Kimball, 1935 Tax Collector	2.00
Cecil A. Kimball, 1936 Tax Collector	6.00
Cecil A. Kimball, 1937 Tax Collector	6.00
Cecil A. Kimball, 1938 Tax Collector	10.00
Cecil A. Kimball, 1939 Tax Collector	22.00
Cecil A. Kimball, 1940 Tax Collector	90.28
Cecil A. Kimball, 1941 Tax Collector	7,758.35
Cecil A. Kimball, 1942 Tax Collector	17,629.18
Cecil A. Kimball, Redeemed Taxes received after close of 1941 books	5.00
Cecil A. Kimball, Redeemed Taxes received during 1942	896.21
William K. Davis, Town Clerk:	
1941 Auto Permits	\$ 1.50
1942 Auto Permits	899.81
1941 Dog Licenses	36.40
1942 Dog Licenses	205.80
1942 Filing Fees	10.00
	1,153.51

Selectmen	12,599.05
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Total Receipts	\$ 46,663.52
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Paid:

263 orders drawn by Selectmen	41,679.34
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February 1, 1943, Balance	\$ 4,984.18
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Also on hand:

Auditing reserve, Exeter Banking Co.	\$ 214.47
6 shares Merrimack National Bank Stock.	

WILBUR R. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS**SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS**

Received by 1935 Tax Collector	\$ 2.00
Received by 1936 Tax Collector	6.00
Received by 1937 Tax Collector	6.00
Received by 1938 Tax Collector	10.00
Received by 1939 Tax Collector	22.00
Received by 1940 Tax Collector	90.28
Received by 1941 Tax Collector	7,758.35
Received by 1942 Tax Collector	17,629.18
Received by 1941 Tax Collector, Redeemed Taxes	5.00
Received by 1942 Tax Collector, Redeemed Taxes	896.21
Received by Town Clerk	1,153.51
Received by 1941 Town Treasurer	6,485.94
Received by Selectmen	12,599.05
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	\$ 46,663.52

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS**General Government**

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,263.59
General Expense	628.01
Election and Registration	201.25
Town Hall Expense	394.95
Town Hall Repairs	315.53
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	\$ 2,803.33

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Dept.	\$ 100.00
Fire Dept.	736.86
Forest Fires	24.00
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	860.86

Health and Sanitation

Health Dept.	\$	92.97	
Vital Statistics		21.20	
		<hr/>	114.17

Highways and Bridges

Class V Construction	\$	202.31	
Street Lighting		1,638.98	
Town Maintenance		1,664.86	
Snow Bills		675.67	
		<hr/>	4,181.82

Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day Flag	\$	11.00	11.00
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Public Service Enterprises

Libraries	\$	225.00	
Cemeteries		38.80	
		<hr/>	263.80

Unclassified

Abatements and Refunds	\$	12.38	
Taxes Bought		521.42	
Whitehouse Property Administration		160.15	
Defense Program		72.91	
		<hr/>	766.86

Interest

Interest	\$	216.66	216.66
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Town and County Poor

Direct Relief	\$	241.85	
Old Age Assistance		2,000.36	
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Other Governmental Div.

Schools	\$ 17,121.23	
County Tax	3,097.40	
	<hr/>	20,218.63

Indebtedness

Exeter Banking Co.	\$ 10,000.00	10,000.00
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		\$ 41,679.34

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Received by Collector	\$ 26,425.02
Received by Clerk	1,153.51
Received by Treasurer, Bal. '41	6,485.94

Received by Selectmen:

Exeter Banking Company	\$ 10,000.00
Harris Trust & Savings Co.	184.12
Interest and Dividend Tax	45.58
Savings Bank Tax	18.77
Railroad Tax	320.61
Fighting Forest Fires	45.74
Rent of Town Hall	62.00
Rent of Hunt Prop.	64.00
Insurance Adjustment	33.80
Refund on Order	6.85
Received for Whitehouse Property	1,200.00
Frank Morse Property	400.00
Payment on Hunt Property	120.00
Use of Telephone	9.70
Dividend on Merrimack Nat. Bank	
Shares	2.40
Revolver Permits	4.50
Town of So. Hampton, Plowing	
Snow	30.00
Sale of Cloth, Stove, Road Mach.	16.98

On Acct. on Advancement on Hospital	34.00	
	<hr/>	12,599.05
Total Receipts		<hr/> \$ 46,663.52

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Kenneth Briggs, Auditor	\$	18.00	
Kent Walker, Auditor		18.00	
Earle B. Nichols, Selectman		250.00	
Charles R. Stevens, Selectman		125.00	
James A. Marden, Selectman		100.00	
Robert L. Prescott, Relief Agent		150.00	
Wilbur R. Sargent, Treasurer		110.00	
William K. Davis, Clerk		100.00	
Cecil A. Kimball, Collector		342.59	
A. Ralph Estabrook, Fire Chief		50.00	
	<hr/>	\$	1,263.59

General Expense

W. L. Dailey Co., badges	\$	12.85
Telephone		24.25
Alice Wilder, stamps		16.00
Wm. K. Davis, bonding officers		100.00
Wm. K. Davis, auto permits		79.25
Amesbury Pub. Co., town reports		151.90
Amesbury Pub. Co., printing		17.50
Earle B. Shaw, tax bills		28.00
Earle B. Shaw, letter heads		8.70
Robert Prescott, mileage and tele- phone		14.88
William F. Howes, tax law book		4.00
Wheeler & Clark, supplies		21.30
Tom Locke, taxes on Morse deed		.55
The Marston Agency, liability on Town truck		47.40

Edson C. Eastman, supplies	17.08	
Batchelder Book Store, supplies	7.20	
John W. A. Green, recording deeds and searching records	28.30	
Albert N. Grant, searching birth record	5.20	
W. E. Drake, tuning piano	5.00	
Association of N. H. Assessors	2.00	
Winfred A. Snow, trust funds	12.00	
Brancham Printing Co., supplies	2.08	
Wilbur R. Sargent, supplies	1.65	
Allen Book Store, supplies	2.05	
Cecil A. Kimball, postage	10.00	
Cecil A. Kimball, registering letters	8.87	
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		628.01

Election and Registration

Bernard Churchill	\$	20.00	
Herbert Wilbur		10.00	
Robert S. Prescott		3.00	
George Bowen		11.00	
George Rowe		11.00	
Frank E. Austin		11.00	
Raymond Estabrook		32.00	
Thomas Bluitte		32.00	
Otis Rowell		32.00	
Earle B. Nichols		8.00	
Amesbury Pub. Co.		7.25	
Charles Stevens		8.00	
James Marden		8.00	
Thomas Locke		8.00	
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			201.25

Town Hall Expense

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	\$	43.80
The Marston Agency, insurance		24.90
Wm. K. Davis, insurance		109.80
Hayden E. Cheney, coal		54.00

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Richard Sargent, slabs	10.00	
Rockingham Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance	8.93	
F. B. Keene	2.34	
Frank Blair	4.50	
Wm. J. Morrison, supplies	.98	
Joseph Hoyt, hauling to dump	8.70	
Chas. R. Stevens, janitor	127.00	
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		394.95

Town Hall Repairs

Red Cross Room

Hayden E. Cheney, lumber and supplies	\$	112.30	
Emerson Floor Covering Co.		13.83	
Haverhill Sign Co.		3.50	
Ralph Bean, wiring		3.82	
Haverhill Hardware Co.		7.45	
Diamond Match Co.		11.38	
Forrest Reynolds, labor		125.00	
Herbert Webster		30.00	
Murray & Dugdale, stove		8.25	
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			315.53

Police Department

Henry L. Burbeck	\$	5.00	
Augustus E. Locke		5.00	
Wm. K. Davis		5.00	
Ralph Bean		2.00	
Raymond Estabrook		10.00	
Leon G. Ingalls		5.00	
Stillman Davis, chief		68.00	
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			100.00

Fire Department

A, Ralph Estabrook, storage	\$	100.00	
A. Ralph Estabrook, gas, oil, soda, acid, etc.		58.61	

A. Ralph Estabrook, dual chains and spreader	20.75	
W. L. Darley & Co., hose and couplings	155.90	
Eureka Fire Hose Co.	186.00	
Buffalo Fire Equipment Co.	22.50	
The Marston Agency, insurance	8.50	
Wm. K. Davis, insurance	43.00	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., in- stalling bell and cutout	23.60	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., in- stalling telephone and bells N. J.	18.00	
A. Ralph Estabrook, payroll	100.00	
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Forest Fires

A. Ralph Estabrook, payroll	\$ 24.00	24.00
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Health Department

Geo. W. Sargent Sons, Gravel	\$ 2.00	
Joseph Hoyt, trucking gravel dump	78.60	
John Tavor, posts	1.10	
Haverhill Gazette	1.25	
Henry L. Burbeck, milk samples ex- pense	8.75	
Henry L. Burbeck, postage	.27	
Henry L. Burbeck, investigating dumps	1.00	
	<hr/>	92.97

Vital Statistics

Frank B. Nay	\$.70	
William K. Davis	20.50	
	<hr/>	21.20

Class V. Construction

State of New Hampshire	\$ 202.31	202.31
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Street Lighting

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	\$ 1,638.98	1,638.98
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Town Maintenance

Geo. L. Cheney, payrolls	\$ 1,664.86	1,664.86
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Snow Account

Wm. K. Davis, insurance	\$ 11.80	
Harry Munroe, groceries	12.00	
Mac's Groceries, groceries	12.41	
Geo. L. Cheney, payrolls	639.46	
	<hr/>	675.67

Memorial Day

Mitchell & Co., flags	\$ 6.00	
Gertrude Ingalls, wreath	5.00	
	<hr/>	11.00

Libraries

Alma B. Mayhew	\$ 225.00	225.00
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Cemeteries

Everett L. Kelly	\$ 15.20	
Wm. H. Butler	9.20	
Chas. R. Stevens	12.00	
David Mayhew	1.20	
Clarence Kushun	1.20	
	<hr/>	38.80

Abatements and Refunds

Cecil A. Kimball, 1941 taxes collected by Town	\$ 12.38	12.38
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Taxes Bought

Cecil A. Kimball, collector	\$ 521.42	521.42
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Whitehouse Property Adm.

Whitehouse Heirs	\$ 100.00	
Robert S. Prescott, administration	60.15	
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Defense Program

Motor Car Supply Co., 3 Sparton sirens	\$	45.60	
Stillman Davis, report forms		1.66	
Edw. Week & Co., surgical instru- ments		25.65	
		<hr/>	72.91

Interest

Exeter Banking Co.	\$	216.66	216.66
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Direct Relief

Robert Tower, M. D.	\$	3.00	
Hayden E. Cheney, groceries		138.25	
Lloyd Currier, oil		35.60	
Mitchell Memorial Hospital		65.00	
		<hr/>	241.85

Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	\$	2,000.36	2,000.36
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Schools

Otis R. Rowell, treasurer	\$	17,070.83	
Raymond Estabrook, dog officer		25.90	
Raymond Estabrook, dogs shot and buried		9.00	
Edward Parker, pigs killed by dogs		8.00	
Haverhill Gazette, notices		7.50	
		<hr/>	17,121.23

County Taxes

Earl R. Stockbridge, county treas.	\$	3,097.40	3,097.40
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Indebtedness

Exeter Banking Co.	\$	10,000.00	10,000.00
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			\$ 41,679.34

Highway Agent's Report for 1942

George L. Cheney	\$ 273.90
George L. Cheney and truck	368.80
W. A. Snow	4.00
Joseph Hoyt	90.00
Joseph Hoyt and truck	137.30
Forest Reynolds	1.00
Arthur Hanson	144.00
Charles R. Stevens	138.50
George Bowen	53.25
Frank Blair	7.00
Kenneth Briggs, Jr.	7.50
Ralph Roberts	4.25
Richard Whittier	3.50
Loren Merritt	.75
Melvin Peaslee	10.00
Bolts for road drag	.25
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., tarvia	362.87
Welding road drag	1.00
Wm. Paxman, gravel	1.45
John Favor, 1 cedar post	.35
Dearborn's, express on 20 tar barrels	5.90
Davis Hdwe., 1 scythe	1.65
N. H. State Highway Dept., bal due on T. R. A.	5.85
Sargent Bros., gravel	18.90
Town of Kingston, repairs on bridge	22.89

Total	\$ 1,664.86
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GEORGE L. CHENEY,

Road Agent.

THORNELL ROAD T. R. A. ACCT.

George L. Cheney	\$ 89.40
George L. Cheney, truck	134.10
Joseph Hoyt	12.00
Joseph Hoyt and truck	175.00
Charles Bly and truck	56.00
Penry Richards	20.00
Clarence George	14.50
Richard McMillian	16.00
Richard Whittier	40.00
Vincent Vurgelintz	6.50
Timothy Hanley	23.50
Donald Briggs	2.50
Frank Blair	2.50
Fred Kimball	62.50
Homer Kimball	34.50
Loran Merritt	27.00
William Moisan	10.50
Ralph Roberts	33.00
Charles Stevens	74.50
George Bowen	74.50
Kent Walker	62.50
Arthur Hanson, cedar posts	7.50
Sargent Bros., gravel	38.90
Total	<hr/> \$ 1,017.40

GEORGE L. CHENEY,

Foreman.

SNOW REPORT FOR YEARS 1942 AND 1943

George L. Cheney	\$ 80.40
George L. Cheney, truck	122.60
Joseph Hoyt	74.70
Joseph Hoyt and truck	48.75
Penry Richards	7.80
Richard Whittier	38.10
Charles Stevens	18.70

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Merton Cheney	10.50
William Moisan, Jr.	9.00
Ira Downing	3.90
Otis Rowell	1.50
Stillman Davis	1.50
Lewis Clifford	1.00
John Shippee	3.00
Fred Cust	3.65
Thomas Watkins, truck and plow	142.00
Hayden Cheney, coal	20.75
R. C. Hazelton, installing plow and cutter edge	42.74
Sands Blacksmith Shop, welding plow	1.00
Estabrook Garage	2.55
Henry Lay, sand	1.00
Arthur Scribner, sand	2.40

Total	\$ 637.54
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GEORGE L. CHENEY,

Road Agent.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1943

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year	Income During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand End of Yr.
Jan. 20, 1903	For care of Sarah M. Carter lot in Union Cemetery, fund created by will of Sarah M. Carter	Exeter Banking Co.	\$ 100.00	\$ 15.74	\$ 2.31		\$ 18.05
Jan. 1, 1910	For the care of the Fogg lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Rachael Fogg, widow of Orrin Fogg	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	33.18	2.66	\$ 1.50	34.34
Aug. 23, 1913	For the care of the Albert Lewis lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Lewis.	Amesbury Savings	100.00	37.58	3.45	1.50	39.53
Feb. 16, 1915	For the care of the Richard Hamor lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Annie Dalton.	Exeter Banking Co	100.00	13.30	2.25	1.50	14.05
July 17, 1916	For the care of the Geo. F. Battles lot, Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Battles	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	10.26	2.19	1.50	10.95
Dec. 12, 1916	For the care of the Blore lot, in the Town Cemetery, fund created by will of Fanny Blore.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	12.23	2.25		14.48
July 3, 1919	For the care of the James C. Bartlett lot in Highland Cemetery fund created by Mrs. Lizzie Moers.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	13.33	2.25	1.50	14.08
Oct. 10, 1919	For the care of the Wilson lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by will of Levi Wilson.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	36.21	2.73		38.94

Aug. 4, 1920	For the care of the Hannah C. Moulton lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by 1st Christian Church, Newton, N. H.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	30.57	2.60	1.50	31.67
Feb. 25, 1921	For the care of the M. E. Hoyt lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by the will of Mrs. M. E. Hoyt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	37.51	2.75		40.26
Mar. 22, 1921	For the purchase of books for the Gale Library of Newton, "Income only to be used," created by will of Mrs. Z. E. Axtell, to be known as the "Axtell fund."	Exeter Banking Co.	500.00	20.30	10.45		30.75
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Geo. W. Marston lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	40.97	2.80	1.50	42.27
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Nathan Gould lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	26.53	2.52	1.50	27.55
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Samuel Gould lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	34.14	2.69		36.83
Jan. 31, 1922	For the care of the John R. Harvey lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of said Harvey.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	12.22	2.23	1.50	12.95
Oct. 24, 1922	For the care of the Bates-Peck lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Etta Peck-Bates.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.89	2.12	1.50	7.51
Aug. 28, 1923	For the care of the T. W. Bagley lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by daughter of T. W. Bagley.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	12.96	2.24	1.50	13.70
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Shaw lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	10.39	2.19	1.50	11.08

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (continued)

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Yr.	Income During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr.
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Shaw lot in Wil- low Grove Cemetery, Newton (Junction), fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	39.56	2.77	2.00	40.33
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Julia Cilly lot in Highland Cemetery, fund cre- ated by Josie Leavitt, daughter of Mrs. Cilly	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	13.46	2.26	1.50	14.22
Nov. 24, 1924	For the care of the Haynes lot in Highland Cemetery fund created by J. E. Haynes.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	7.44	2.14	1.50	8.08
Dec. 24, 1924	For the worthy poor of Newton Junction, N. H. by terms of will of Annie Dalton. Known as the Johanna Dalton Fund.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	136.55	22.83		159.38
June 3, 1926	For the care of the Story lot in Town Cemetery, fund created by will of his son, Henry Story.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	10.55	2.21		12.76
Feb. 1, 1927	For the care of the A. P. Brewer lot in Highland Cemetery, fund cre- ated by Mrs. A. P. Brewer	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	8.53	2.16	1.50	9.19
Mar. 2, 1928	For the care of the B. F. Wakefield lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mr. B. F. Wake- field	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	5.99	2.10	1.50	6.59
Feb. 20, 1930	For the care of the I. M. Heath lot in Highland Cemetery. Fund cre- ated by will of said Heath.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	7.76	2.14	1.50	8.40

Nov. 19, 1930	For care of the D. F. Battles lot in the Highland Cemetery. Fund created by will of Etta Battles	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	7.67	2.14	1.50	8.31
Oct. 22, 1931	For care of Joseph Hoitt lot in Old Town Cemetery, fund created by Edward Hoitt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	8.83	2.17		11.00
Nov. 24, 1931	For care of Mary J. Estes lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mary J. Estes.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.62	2.02	1.50	2.14
May 3, 1934	For care of the Joseph C. Badger lot in Highland Cemetery. Created by W. C. Badger.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.34	2.11	1.50	6.95
July 21, 1934	By will of Etta E. Sawyer. Income for the general improvement and development of Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	7.80	20.18	6.00	21.98
July 21, 1934	By will of Etta E. Sawyer. Income for perpetual care of the A. J. and Fred E. Sawyer lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	25.60	4.51	1.50	28.61
Nov. 1, 1934	In memory of Charles A. Boswell to be known as the "Al Boswell" fund, the income only to be used for repairs or improvements on Newton Town Hall. Created by Carrie A. Boswell, his wife.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	192.82	23.96		216.78
June 8, 1936	Care Samuel B. Hayford lot, Highland Cemetery. Created by his niece Mrs. John G. Rowe.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	3.39	2.05	1.50	3.94
Jan. 16, 1937	Hannah Carter Flanders Fund, Old Town Cemetery. Created by will of Louise O. Twombly.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.11	2.09		6.20
June 29, 1937	Care of Sarah F. Carter lot, Highland Cemetery. Created by will of Sarah F. Carter.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.26	2.01	1.50	1.77
July 24, 1937	George Fund. In memory of Everett George. For care of Everett and Ezra N. George lot in Willow Grove Cemetery. Created by Mrs. Everett George.	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	4.81	4.06	4.00	4.87

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (continued)

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Year	Income Yr. During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr.
July 24, 1937	Crosby Fund, for care of Chas. C. Crosby lot in Willow Grove Cemetery, in memory of Mary J. Crosby, created by Mary J. Crosby.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.37	2.03	2.00	2.40
July 24, 1937	Wm. Dunn Fund, for care of Wm. Dunn lot in Highland Cemetery created by Mrs. Arnold F. Ingalls and Mrs. F. E. Leavitt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.34	2.03	1.50	2.87
Sept. 4, 1937	Chas. A. Fowler Fund, for the care of the Chas. A. Fowler lot in Highland Cemetery, created by will of Chas. A. Fowler.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.12	2.03	1.50	2.65
Sept. 4, 1937	Abel Fowler Fund, for care of Abel Fowler lot in Highland Cemetery, created by will of Chas. A. Fowler.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.12	2.03	1.50	2.65
Oct. 15, 1937	Wentworth Fund, for care of Lowell M. Wentworth lot in Highland Cemetery, created by Fred E. Wentworth.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.68	2.02	1.50	2.20
Nov. 17, 1937	Clara Emily Wilder Fund, for the care of the Arthur Wilder lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.47	2.01	1.50	1.98
Nov. 17, 1937	Carrie A. Boswell Fund, for the care of C. A. Boswell lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.47	2.01	1.50	1.98

June 13, 1938	Alice Magoon Fund. For care of the Alice Magoon lot in Highland Cemetery. Created by her son Al Magoon.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.04	2.03	1.50	2.57
Nov. 30, 1938	Frank H. Ball Fund. For care of the Frank H. Ball lot in Highland cemetery. Created by Lydia Dugdale.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	97	2.00	1.50	1.47
Nov. 10, 1938	John A. Gale Fund. Income to be used for repairs and improvements of the "Gale Library." Created by John A. Gale.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	40.60	20.91		61.51
Nov. 10, 1938	Lovering Fund. Income to be used for repairs and improvements of the "Gale Library." Created by Nathaniel Lovering.	Exeter Banking Co.	350.00	14.20	7.31		21.51
Jan. 9, 1939	Willow Grove Cemetery Fund. Income for improvement of Willow Tree Cemetery, Newton Junction, N. H. Created by sale of lots in cemeteries by vote of Town Meeting, Mar. 8, 1938.	Exeter Banking Co.	30.00	.60	.40		1.00
May 4, 1940	James Carey Fund for care of Patrick Carey lot in Highland cemetery, created by will of James Carey	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.84	2.02	1.50	2.36
Nov. 26, 1940	Sargent Fund for care of lot in Highland cemetery, created by the children of Alvah W. and Mary W. Sargent	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.18	2.05		4.23
Nov. 26, 1940	Chase Fund for care of the old Chase burial lot, created by will of Harlan Chase	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.18	2.05		4.23
Dec. 12, 1941	Walter H. Gould Fund for care of lot in Highland Cemetery created by will of Abbie L. Gould	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00		2.01		2.01

TOTALS

Number of Funds	53
Amount of Principal	\$9,680.00
Balance Income Jan. 31, 1942	976.48
Income During Year	213.53
Expenditures During Year	62.00
Balance Income On Hand Jan. 31, 1943	1,128.11

CASH RECEIPTS

Exeter Banking Co.	\$60.50
Amesbury Savings	1.50
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	\$62.00

DISBURSEMENTS FOR LABOR

William Butler	\$ 8.00
Albert W. Flanders	54.00
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	\$62.00

JAMES A. MARDEN,
WINFRED A. SNOW,
E. BELLE BOYD,

Trustees of Trust Funds,
Newton, N. H.

Auditors' Report

Newton, N. H., Feb. 9, 1943.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, and Treasurer of Gale Library Trustees, and find them correctly cast and proper vouchers for all disbursements.

We find the Town Officers above named properly bonded.

KENNETH F. BRIGGS,
KENT WALKER,

Auditors.

Newton, N. H., Feb. 5, 1943.

We hereby certify that we have examined this day the accounts of the Trustees of the Trust Funds of said town, that said Trustees have exhibited to us all the securities held by them, as above stated together with a detailed statement thereof, and the particular trust to which they belong, with a statement of the receipts and expenditures with proper vouchers as required by Section 3, Chapter 162, of the Laws of 1915, and the amendments thereof.

We find the Trustees of the Trust Funds properly bonded.

KENNETH F. BRIGGS,
KENT WALKER,

Auditors.

Report of Treasurer of Gale Library

CASH RECEIVED

Feb. 1, 1942—Balance on Hand	\$ 162.26
Received from W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	225.00
Fines collected and Sale of Paper	8.28
Discount from Mitchell & Co.	.40
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	\$ 395.94

CASH DISBURSEMENTS

A. Marian Hatch, librarian	\$ 80.00
Remington Rand, library furniture	89.20
Personal Book Shop	68.14
Insurance, Wm. K. Davis	24.00
Mitchell & Co., books	8.18
Exeter & Hampton Electric Light Co.	13.00
Geo. L. Cheney, wood	7.00
Follett Book Co.	4.40
Gaylord Bros., supplies	3.05
N. H. Library Association, dues	1.00
Sherburne E. Miller, brass name plate	3.00
World Topics Quarterly	.96
Binder for topics	.50
Subscription to Popular Science Monthly, 2 yrs.	3.50
University of New Hampshire, book	2.50
The National Geographic Society 1943	3.50
Charles Stevens, care of lawn	5.00
Subscription to Readers Digest, 1943	2.75
Edward Hatch, oiling floor	1.00
Lamp shade	.69
2 electric light bulbs	.26

Supplies, stamps and money orders	2.95	
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	\$ 324.58	
Balance on hand, Jan. 31, 1943	71.36	
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	\$	395.94
Merrimack National Bank	\$ 57.79	
Cash on hand	13.57	
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	\$ 71.36	

Respectfully submitted,

ALMA B. MAYHEW.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Number of Books Added	
Adult fiction	75
Adult non-fiction	21
Juvenile fiction	20
Juvenile non-fiction	4
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	120
By purchase	69
By gift	51
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	120
Number of Books Loaned	
Adult fiction	2,404
Adult non-fiction	487
Juvenile fiction	327
Juvenile non-fiction	86
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Total	3,304
Magazines borrowed	568
Number of borrowers	396

A. MARIAN HATCH,

Librarian.

Report of Health Officer

For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1942

Cases reported: Measles, 14; mumps, 15; syphilis, 1; dog bite 1.

There were several justifiable complaints about the abuse of the Town Dump. With the cooperation of the Selectmen, the dump has been cleaned, leveled and covered with sand on two occasions. Careful investigation shows that much of the objectionable matter was dumped by out-of-town parties. Signs were posted to the effect that the dump is for Newton citizens only and warning against deposit of any substance liable to decay. (State Health Laws). Evidence was obtained against one out of State offender, but, as the party was in the War Service, no prosecution could be made.

We again serve notice that the Dump is maintained solely for Newton residents for the deposit of such waste materials as will not decay, or become offensive or dangerous to the public health.

HENRY L. BURBECK,
Health Officer.

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of the

TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H.

School Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Newton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the sixth day of March 1943, at 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the School District will vote to install Fire Escape Exits at the Rowe's Corner School, raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00) for this purpose.

10. To transact any further business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newton this 13th day of February, 1943.

AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,
LILLIAN WEBSTER,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,
LILLIAN WEBSTER,
School Board.

School Board's Estimate for 1943-1944

School District of Newton.

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1943.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	†Elementary Schools	
*Support of Schools		
Teachers' Salaries	\$4,825.00	
Text Books	150.00	
Scholars' Supplies	175.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	15.00	
Other Expenses of Instruction	70.00	
Janitor Service	450.00	
Fuel	525.00	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	100.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	200.00	
Health Supervision (Med. Ins.)	152.00	
Transportation of Pupils	1,350.00	
Other Special Activities	20.00	
	—————\$	8,032.00
Other Statutory Requirements		
Salaries of District Officers (fixed by district)	\$	169.00
Truant Officer and School Census (fixed by district)		35.00
Payment of Tuition in High Schools and Academies (Estimated by Board)		5,000.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary (fixed by Supervisory Union)		172.00

Per Capita Tax (reported by State	
Treasurer)	216.00
Other Obligations	82.50
	<hr/> \$ 5,674.50

Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's	
budget	\$ 13,706.50

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1943 (estimated)	\$1,200.00
State Aid (December 1943 Allotment)	2,000.00 (Tentative)
Dog Tax (Estimate)	150.00

Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not Raised	
By Taxation)	\$ 3,350.00

Assessment Required To Balance School Board's	
Budget	\$ 10,356.50
Special Appropriation Proposed (Articles in Warrant)	
Fire Escape Exits at Rowses' Corner School	\$ 150.00

AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,
LILLIAN WEBSTER,

School Board.

Newton, N. H., February 13, 1943.

*\$3.50 per \$1,000 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law in addition to per capita tax and salaries of district officers.

‡\$5 per \$1,000 of equalized valuation must be raised for elementary schools to qualify for state aid.

Records of Meeting

**Of the School District of the Town of Newton, N. H.
March 7, 1942**

Agreeable to the warrant the meeting was called to order at 8:10 P. M., and the warrant was read by Henry L. Burbeck, Moderator.

Article 1. Kent Walker made motion that Henry L. Burbeck act as Moderator for the ensuing year. He was duly elected and was qualified by William K. Davis, the Justice of the Peace.

Article 2. James Marden made the motion that a member of the School Board cast one vote for Everett O. Kelly for Clerk for the ensuing year. He was duly elected and qualified by H. L. Burbeck, the Justice of the Peace.

Article 3. Mrs. Bridget Merritt made the motion and it was carried that Lillian R. Webster act as member of the School Board for three years. She was qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 4. William K. Davis made the motion which was carried, that Otis Rowell act as treasurer of the School District. He was qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 5. James Marden made the motion, which was seconded, that the salaries remain the same for the ensuing year.

Article 6. William K. Davis made the motion, which was carried, that all committee reports be accepted as printed in the Town Report.

Article 7. James Marden made the motion that a member of the School Board cast one vote for Everett O. Kelly and Kent Walker to act as auditors for the ensuing year. They were duly elected and qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 8. Kenneth Briggs explained why the State had cut the allotment for school aid, necessitating the closing of the Newton Junction School.

Mr. Robert Prescott made the motion that the budget be accepted as printed in the Town Report and it was carried.

Article 9. The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 without date.

Recorded truly,

EVERETT O. KELLY,

District Clerk.

Report of District Treasurer

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1942

Cash on hand June 30, 1941 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$	560.29
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year		\$9,631.95
Balance of previous appropriation		912.95
Dog Tax		255.10
Income from trust funds		2.20
Received from State Treasurer (State Aid)		3,585.95
Received from all other sources		13.42
	—————	\$ 14,401.57
Total amount available for fiscal year (Balance and receipts)	\$	14,961.86
Less School Board Orders Paid		14,164.27
		—————
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1942 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$	797.59

OTIS R. ROWELL,
District Treasurer.

July 3, 1942.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newton, of which the

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above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942, and find them correct in all respects.

KENT WALKER,
EVERETT O. KELLY,

Auditors.

July 11, 1942.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Date	From Whom	Source	Amount
1941			
Sept. 13	Selectmen	Town	\$ 1,200.00
Oct. 16	Selectmen	Town	3,000.00
Nov. 19	Selectmen	Town	600.00
Dec. 6	State Treasurer	State Aid	3,585.95
1942			
Jan. 20	Merrimack Nat'l Bank	Semi-Annual Dividend	2.20
Feb. 17	Selectmen	Town	1,000.00
Mar. 23	Selectmen	Town	1,000.00
April 24	Selectmen	Town	2,000.00
June 1	Selectmen	Town	1,200.00
June 12	Selectmen	Town	800.00
June 26	School Board	Sanborn Seminary	13.42
Total receipts during the year			<hr/> \$14,401.57

Financial Report

Of the Newton School District for the Fiscal Year
Beginning July 1, 1941, and Ending June 30, 1942.

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws, 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,

School Board.

WILLIAM J. NELSON, Superintendent.

July 11, 1942.

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid

Equalization funds for elementary schools (from State)	\$ 3,585.95
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Income from Local Taxation (raised by selectmen)

For the support of elementary schools	\$3,193.45
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For the payment of high school and academy tuition	5,700.00
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For the salaries of district officers	169.00
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For the payment of per capita tax	270.00
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Other obligations	299.50	
Balance of previous appropriations	912.95	
	<hr/>	10,544.90
From Sources Other Than Taxation		
Dog Licenses	\$ 255.10	
Income from local trust funds	2.20	
Other receipts	13.42	
	<hr/>	270.72
Total receipts from all sources		\$ 14,401.57
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1941		560.29
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Grand Total		\$ 14,961.86

PAYMENTS—DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES

	Total Amount	General Expense	Support High School	Support Elem. Schools
ADMINISTRATION				
Salaries of district officers	\$ 169.00	\$ 169.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	176.65	176.65		
Truant officers and school Census	35.90	35.90		
Expenses of administration	72.15	72.15		
INSTRUCTION				
Principals' and teachers' salaries	5,300.00			\$5,300.00
Text books	119.21			119.21
Scholars' supplies	253.83			253.83
Flags and appurtenances	16.20			16.20
Other expenses of instruction	31.43			31.43
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT				
Janitor service	522.00			522.00
Fuel	384.50			384.50
Water, light, janitors' supplies	92.10			92.10

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Minor repairs and ex- penses	254.51			254.51
AUXILIARY AGENCIES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES				
Medical inspection, health supervision	181.44			181.44
Transportation of pupils..	1,350.00			1,350.00
High school and academy tuition	4,894.76		\$4,894.76	
Other special activities ..	23.09			23.09
FIXED CHARGES				
Tax for state wide super- vision. (\$2 per capita) ..	270.00	270.00		
Insurance and other fixed charges	17.50	17.50		
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR				
ALL PURPOSES	\$14,164.27	\$ 741.20	\$4,894.76	\$8,528.31
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1942)	797.59			
GRAND TOTAL	\$14,961.86			

Detailed Expenditures July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Lillian R. Webster, School Board	\$ 50.00	
Amanda C. Goodwin, School Board	40.00	
Kenneth F. Briggs, School Board	40.00	
Otis Rowell, Treasurer	25.00	
Henry L. Burbeck, Moderator	2.00	
Everett O. Kelly, Clerk	2.00	
Everett O. Kelly, Auditor	5.00	
Kent Walker, Auditor	5.00	
	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/> \$	169.00
Superintendent's excess salary		176.65

SCHOOL CENSUS AND TRUANT OFFICER

Lillian R. Webster, school census	\$ 25.00	
Enumeration cards	.90	
Earl Morse, truant officer	10.00	
	<hr style="width: 10%; display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"/>	35.90

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Wm. K. Davis, treasurer's bond	\$ 5.00
Lena Lloyd, clerk's hire	41.50
Otis Rowell, stamped envelopes	3.25
Kenneth F. Briggs, postage	.15
Wm. J. Nelson, postage, telephone calls	2.75
R. E. Lane, census cards	.90
Edson C. Eastman, 500 vouchers	7.16
Lillian R. Webster, postage, telephone calls	1.65
Otis Rowell stamped envelopes	3.25
Lillian R. Webster, postage, telephone	

calls	.85	
Wm. J. Nelson, telephone, express	5.69	
		<hr/> 72.15

PRINCIPALS' AND TEACHERS' SALARIES

Marion Kalashian	\$1,100.00	
Angelia Kelly	950.00	
Mary Wright	935.00	
Loleta Palmer	1,000.00	
Alice Knowles	1,000.00	
Eva Thompson, music	250.00	
Frances Colby, substitute	65.00	
		<hr/> 5,300.00

TEXT BOOKS

American Book Co.	\$ 12.01	
Allyn & Bacon	30.96	
Ginn & Co.	8.03	
Iroquois Publishing Co.	7.68	
J. B. Lippincott Co.	.79	
Personal Book Shop	3.34	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	1.49	
L. W. Singer & Co.	6.06	
World Book Co.	10.03	
John C. Winston Co.	7.47	
J. L. Hammett Co.	.50	
Webster Publishing Co.	1.65	
American Education Press	.97	
Bobbs, Merrill Co.	2.84	
Webster Publishing Co.	2.53	
Ginn & Co.	22.86	
		<hr/> 119.21

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

Wm. J. Nelson	\$.10	
Edward E. Babb	119.85	
Peever's Drug Store	5.90	

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J. L. Hammett Co.	12.45	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	4.05	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	111.48	
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FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	\$ 16.20	
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OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Milton Bradley Co.	\$ 2.08	
World Book Co.	2.34	
Eagle Tribune Publishing Co.	5.50	
World Book Co.	2.35	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	.88	
Carl Fisher, Inc.	2.76	
J. L. Hammett	10.11	
Marion Kalashian	2.76	
O. M. Bean & Son.	2.65	
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JANITOR SERVICE

Charles R. Stevens	\$ 252.00	
Ira M. Downing	180.00	
Bridget Merritt	90.00	
	<hr/>	522.00

FUEL

Hayden E. Cheney, coal	\$ 325.00	
Kenneth F. Briggs, wood	2.00	
John H. Favor, wood	20.00	
John E. McCarthy, wood	18.00	
C. D. Currier, sawing wood	2.50	
John H. Favor, wood	16.00	
Loren Merritt, throwing in wood	1.00	
	<hr/>	384.50

WATER, LIGHT AND JANITORS' SUPPLIES

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	\$	43.20	
Masury Young Co.		17.36	
Edward E. Babb		31.15	
Kenneth F. Briggs		.39	
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			92.10

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

Lillian Filz, cleaning Rowe's Corner School	\$	5.90	
Jos. C. Hoyt, hauling ashes from Village School		2.00	
Forrest Reynolds, painting Jct. School and repairs		90.00	
Hayden E. Cheney, paint, shingles, etc.		8.54	
Mary Z. Wright, pump repairs		.59	
C. D. Currier, cleaning toilets		8.00	
Angelia Kelly, cleaning school		8.00	
F. B. Keene, lock, hinges, etc.		7.17	
Bridget Merritt, cleaning Jct. School		5.00	
Oliver Benoit, repairing toilet seat		1.00	
Henry L. Burbeck, repairing desks, fitting locks and doors		6.00	
Mary Z. Wright, damper for stove		.35	
Diamond Match Co., window sash		2.30	
Ira Dunning, repairs at Rowe's Corner School		8.50	
Amos Cutter, repairs at Jct. School		2.42	
Clifton E. Collins, repairing sprinkler at Village School		1.50	
O. M. Bean & Son, repairing bubbler at Village School		1.75	
Everett O. Kelly, repairs at Village School		2.00	
Lincoln Hayes, cleaning well twice at Rowe's Corner School		5.00	
Murray & Dugdale, grate and rollers, Rowe's Corner School		13.50	

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H. R. Webster, repairing wire on roof, and bell at Jct. School	2.00	
F. B. Keene, brace	1.95	
C. D. Currier, cleaning toilets at Vil- lage School	8.00	
O. M. Bean & Son, repairs on pump, at Village School	2.95	
O. M. Bean & Son, repairs at Village School	25.35	
H. R. Webster, shutters, etc., Jct. School	34.74	
	<hr/>	254.51

MEDICAL INSPECTION

Helen Thomas, R. N., school nurse	181.44
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TRANSPORTATION

Earl Morse	1,350.00
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HIGH SCHOOL AND ACADEMY TUITION

Sanborn Seminary	\$3,524.06	
Haverhill High	1,046.82	
Amesbury High	323.88	
	<hr/>	4,894.76

OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Haverhill Rubber Co., balls	\$ 8.60	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc., balls	8.49	
Rush-a-Service, graduation programs	6.00	
	<hr/>	23.09

INSURANCE

Wm. K. Davis, Jct. School	17.50
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PER CAPITA

Per Capita	270.00
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Total Expenditures	<hr/> \$14,164.27
Cash on hand June 30, 1942	797.59

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Board and Citizens of Newton:

I take pleasure in presenting my annual report as Superintendent of your schools.

The Statistical Report is for the school year ending June 30, 1942, and is followed by the report of the Music Supervisor, and the School Nurse.

Last Spring the School Board received notice that the number of pupils in the Newton Schools had fallen to the point where state aid would no longer be granted on five teachers and stating that aid would be withdrawn from the one room school at the Junction. So the Junction School was closed. All children in Grades one to four have this year attended Rowe's Corner School, and grades five to eight went to the Village School. This affords an arrangement whereby each room has two grades, an improvement over what we had in previous years. Previously we had two grades in a room for Grades 5 and 6 and also 7 and 8, but four grades in each of the other three classrooms.

The enrollment for the year covered by this report was one hundred and seven, which was nine less than during the year previous. The school attendance averaged 94.08 percent of the membership, as compared with the state average of 94.31 percent.

There were sixteen graduates from the eighth grade last June. All of these graduates have entered a high school this year. The medal which is awarded each year by the Sons of the American Revolution, to the eighth grader who has best exemplified the principles of good citizenship, was presented this year to Constance Kimball.

The following list shows the September enrollment of Newton pupils in High Schools:

Sanborn Seminary	35 pupils
Haverhill High School	14 pupils
Amesbury High School	6 pupils

Total pupils enrolled in high schools 55 pupils

Word came recently of the death of Miss Helen Thomas—School Nurse—on leave of absence because of illness. Miss Thomas gave many years of untiring service to the physical welfare of the children here. During the present school year the work of school nurse is being done by Mrs. Jessie Soule, R. N., of Salem, N. H., in an enthusiastic and efficient manner. We hope to hold a dental clinic this spring if a dentist can be secured for the work.

There is good progress in the work of all our schools. The fundamentals are being adequately stressed. As an aid in directing instruction in the fundamentals, standardized tests are given each year. Mental tests are also given to all pupils during the fourth and ninth years. Thus we are able to determine the achievement of both class and each individual members as compared with a national norm. These tests are valuable in helping to determine points of weakness in each pupil's development and thus helps the teacher to furnish drill where it is most needed.

Special reports from the various buildings are here included.

Last fall a highly successful campaign was conducted by the Village School children to collect salvage materials. The school salvage effort was of double value. More than a ton of scrap materials were accumulated, and it gave each boy and girl an opportunity for patriotic participation in the war effort. In April, 1942, this school started a drive for the sale of war stamps. To date the sale in grades five to eight alone has amounted to \$296.80. The seventh and eighth grade library table has been supplemented by

many books from the town library. With the cooperation of the librarian these books were selected from an approved list for these grades. Many children who do not regularly visit the public library are taking advantage of this school library and are doing more outside reading.

The activities of the children in the Rowe's Corner School to do their part in the war effort have proved most successful. Four hundred and seventy-three pounds of scrap metal and seven tires were collected by this group. From April to June, 1942, these children purchased \$85.75 worth of war stamps. Their record for the present school year is very noteworthy—from Sept., 1942, to January, 1943, the total purchases of war stamps amounted to \$244.95. Both rooms in this building have joined the American Junior Red Cross. As usual the emphasis on Remedial Reading in this school has continued to prove beneficial. As a special undertaking, this group arranged an exhibit of school work at the Eclipse Grange Fair in the fall.

The World War that is being waged is bringing great change in our way of living. Education is being effected. The elementary schools have not been effected to any great extent to date. The High Schools, due to loss of teaching personnel and older pupils, to the War Service, have been effected to a greater extent. To date there has been but little difficulty in getting supplies, but the supply of teachers is such that the loss of a good teacher can hardly be replaced. It takes four years to train a teacher, and the enrollment at the Institutions preparing teachers is very greatly reduced. Every effort, financial and otherwise, should be made to retain satisfactory teachers. Salary adjustments should be made to meet as far as possible the conditions and practices of the times.

The work of the teacher in the public school has increased materially in recent years due to changes in ways of living. The school finds it necessary to furnish training in an increasing number of directions. The teach-

ers have been performing a real service in conducting the registration in the rationing of sugar, gasoline and fuel oil, and directing the scrap collection, and the sale of war savings stamps. It has meant extra work, but this has been done cheerfully in compliance with the requests of our government.

I would like to express my gratitude for the cooperation of the parents and citizens, as well as the special assistance given by local organizations.

In closing I wish to express appreciation of the courtesy and assistance given me by the School Board and the teaching force.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. NELSON,
Superintendent of Schools.

STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1942

	Boys	Girls	Total	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance	Total Tardiness	Tardiness Per Pupil
Newton Village								
Grades 1-4	12	7	19	14.51	13.71	94.48	34	1.79
Newton Village								
Grades 7-8	14	18	32	27.23	25.40	93.28	16	.50
Newton Junction								
Grades 1-4	10	4	14	12.20	10.91	89.43	10	.71
Rowe's Corner								
Grades 1-4	9	8	17	15.68	14.97	95.47	10	.59
Rowe's Corner								
Grades 5-6	16	9	25	23.58	22.69	96.22	7	.28
Totals	61	46	107	93.20	87.68	94.08	77	.72
State Average for 1941-42						94.31		

Visits to schools by:

Superintendent	116
School Board	5
Citizens	148

Total registration	108
Registered elsewhere previously	1

Total unrepeated registration:

Boys	61
Girls	46
—	107

Average Attendance	87.68
Average Membership	93.20
Average Absence	5.52
Percentage of attendance	94.08
Not absent or tardy	3
Cases of tardiness	77
Days that schools were in session	175

TEACHERS 1942-1943

Marion Kalashian

Loleta M. Palmer

Alice G. Knowles

Angelia E. Kelly

Jessie Soule

Eva W. Thompson

Village, Grades 7-8

Village, Grades 5-6

Rowe's Corner, Grades 1-2

Rowe's Corner, Grades 3-4

Union School Nurse

Music Supervisor

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 55 SCHOOL CALENDAR

**As Adopted by the School Board of Newton
for 1942-1943**

Schools open—September 9.

State Teachers' Convention.

Armistice Day (Schools closed)—November 11 (Wednesday).

Thanksgiving Recess—November 26-29.

Schools open—November 30 (Monday).

Schools close, December 23 (Wednesday).

Winter Recess

Schools open—January 4 (Monday).

Schools close—February 19 (Friday).

Midwinter Recess

Schools open—March 1 (Monday).

Schools close—April 16 (Friday).

Spring Recess

Schools open—April 26 (Monday).

Memorial Day (Schools closed)—May 31 (Monday).

Schools close—Elementary schools close after 175 days of school.

Report of the Supervisor of Music

To Mr. William J. Nelson, Superintendent of Schools:

I have the honor to submit my annual report as Supervisor of Music in the Newton Schools.

The new arrangement of classes this year has made it possible for the primary grades to accomplish more in music. Larger numbers in the groups stimulate interest in music reading and add greatly to the singing.

Music appreciation is the ultimate aim of our music course. The boys and girls are taught to sing tunefully, read music and listen intelligently in order that they may appreciate the works of the great masters.

The end of the year finds me, as always, grateful to the teachers on whose assistance I rely to such a great extent. For your cooperation and that of the School Board, I wish to express my appreciation and thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

EVA W. THOMPSON.

Annual Report of School Nurse 1941-1942

To Mr. W. J. Nelson, Superintendent of Schools:

No. of pupils examined			102
Defective Teeth	26	Corrections	21
Defective Vision	5	Corrections	2
Defective Hearing	1	Corrections	0
Diseased Tonsils	10	Corrections	1
Underweight (10%)	5	Corrections	0

CASES OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Measles	9
Mumps	28
Skin Diseases	4

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE REBECCA SOULE, R. N.

Union No. 55,
Newton, Salem, Plaistow,
Hampstead, Atkinson.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1942

Date	Name of Child	Sex	No. of Child Living or Stillborn	Name of Father	Birthplace	Name of Mother	Birthplace
Jan. 14	Beth Alona Streeter	F	1	Chester J. Streeter	Salem, Mass.	Elona M. Perkins	Madison, Maine
Jan. 14	George W. W. Gagne	M	1	Lorenzo Gagne	St. Andre, P. Q., Canada	Cecille M. B. Tevers	Leves, P. Q., Canada
Jan. 16	Hector W. Pelly, Jr.	M	1	Hector W. Pelly	Newfoundland	Genevieve A. Perkins	Portsmouth, N. H.
May 29	David R. Whittier	M	2	Almon R. Whittier	Newton, N. H.	Merrilyn E. Dagle	Bradford, Mass.
June 11	Linda Gail Storey	F	1	Leo H. Storey	Stoneham, Mass.	Dorothy H. Davis	Newton, N. H.
July 5	Velma L. Reynolds	F	2	Lewis N. Reynolds	Haverhill, Mass.	Barbara Stevens	Newton, N. H.
Aug. 16	Marlene F. Headley	F	1	Clarence W. Headley	Ely, Penn.	Esther F. Kincaid	Newburyport, Mass.
Sept. 20	John A. Russell	M	1	Arthur C. Russell	Georgetown, Mass.	Marjorie Watson	Haverhill, Mass.
Nov. 6	William G. Shaw	M	1	Clayton F. Shaw	Westville, N. H.	Pauline D. Gove	Newton, N. H.
Nov. 23	Eugene A. Winter	M	3	Floyd R. Winter	Haverhill, Mass.	Louise L. Grebenstein	Newton, N. H.

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MARRIAGES RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1942

Date	Name of Groom and Bride	Age	Birthplace of Each	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
Jan. 11	Theodore A. Graves Marjorie B. Ball	23 19	Noyes Mills, Quebec Raymond, N. H.	Elwin Graves Sarah M. White Arthur A. Ball Blanche Fisk Fred Dion	William K. Davis, Justice of the Peace
Jan. 12	Lawrence J. Dion Bertha R. Flynn	40 38	Webster, Mass. York, Maine	George M. Robinson Martha S. Rood John Bennett Jesse B. Jackman Clifford A. Moller	John E. Fickett, Justice of the Peace
Mar. 14	Leslie Bennett Verna A. Moller	23 22	Glasgow, Scotland Moncton, N. B.	Dora A. Underwood Walter J. Graham Ida Charoux John L. Rogers Millicent I. Packer	Rev. Byron O. Waterman, Baptist Minister, Plaistow, N. H.
May 16	Leon H. Graham Dorothy R. Rogers	21 19	Haverhill, Mass. Haverhill, Mass.	Agnes O'Neill Arthur Wray Leota Trenholm Carl M. Torrey Alice I. MacNeil	Rev. Byron O. Waterman, Baptist Minister, Plaistow, N. H.
June 14	Donald W. Lucier Dorothy Wray	21 18	Haverhill, Mass. Haverhill, Mass.	John J. Walters Lottie J. Hernaigan Walter S. Dunn Bertha S. Felch Roland W. Wilson Milanda J. Cardren	William K. Davis, Justice of the Peace
Oct. 8	Charles R. Torrey Thelma V. Walters	19 15	Haverhill, Mass. Lincoln, Mass.		
Nov. 25	Arthur M. Dunn Eileen M. Wilson	20 18	Haverhill, Mass. Haverhill, Mass.		

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DEATHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1942

Date	Name of Deceased	Age		Birthplace	Sex	Name of Father	Name of Mother
		Y	M D				
Jan. 8	*Annie M. Jones	69	5 7		F		
Jan. 18	*Esther J. Baker	76	5 11		F		
Feb. 2	*Nellie M. Cole	56	10 13		F		
Feb. 4	*Ella E. Emery	69	5 7		F		
Mar. 24	*Lamon E. Lewis	51	11 8		M		
Mar. 17	John N. Young	71	0 16	Madbury, N. H.	M	Russell Young	Mary Clay
Mar. 22	William B. Palmer	68	11 4	Whitneyville, Maine	M	Henry Palmer	Etta Allbee
Mar. 23	Addie A. Wallace	72	10 1	Newton, N. H.	F	William Gould	Sarah Burbeck
April 10	John H. Baker	75	6 14	Arylesford, Nova Scotia	M	Arthur W. Baker	Sarah E. Fielding
May 5	Edwin F. Pecker	50	8 5	Boston, Mass.	M	Edwin Pecker	Sarah Higley
May 6	Aldine O. Parrott	70	11 12	Lynn, Mass.	M	Orrin Parrott	Ella Mower
Aug. 28	Lillian K. Filz	49	2 11	Germany	F	John Keisling	Elizabeth Knopf
Sept. 26	Addie F. Baker	82	3 21	North Palermo, Maine	F	James Prescott	Hannah T. Edwards
Sept. 28	Charles A. Warburton	69	5 9	Exeter, N. H.	M	Thomas Warburton	Mary J. Batchelder
Oct. 4	*Mabelle E. Bailey	54	11 20		F		
Oct. 10	*Rebecca Wilson	57	0 28	Burnt Point, Newfoundl'd	F		
Oct. 24	*Clifford D. Purdy	46	2 13		M	George D. Purdy	
Oct. 29	*Ruth J. Bell	74	3 7		F		
Oct. 31	*George D. Crane	69	0 4		M		
Nov. 25	*Clara E. Hill	86	5 21		F		
Nov. 26	Lydia Babine	57	2 15	Nova Scotia	F		
Dec. 17	Selina G. Duffett	72	2 3	Open Hall, Newfoundland	F	William Gould	Mary Greening
Dec. 12	Stella Wood	74	9 27	Berwick, Maine	F	George Hooper	Delia Tuttle
Dec. 28	Lucy M. Collins	72	3 15	Ipswich, Mass.	F	John Bartlett	Sarah Eaton

* Brought here for burial

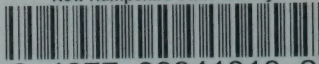
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